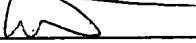


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**CASE #J6852(C)
UNUS #03-R223-EDG**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

CUSTOMER NO. 000201
APPLICANT: Verma et al.
SERIAL NO.: 10/645,576
FILED: August 21, 2003
FOR: High Skin Friction Cosmetic Creams Containing Dispersed Zinc Oxide Particles as
Inorganic Sunscreen
GROUP: 1616
EXAMINER: Ernst V. Arnold
ENGLEWOOD CLIFFS, NEW JERSEY 07632

NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF APPEALS

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated February 9, 2006 of the Primary Examiner's final rejection of claims 1 and 4-9.

The item(s) check below are appropriate:

A timely response to the final Rejection has been filed.
 An Extension of Time to respond to the Final Rejection was requested for two months.
 An Extension of Time to file a Notice of Appeal was granted for one month(s).
 Charge statutory fee of \$500.00 to Deposit Account No. 12-1155. Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 12-1155. This request is being submitted in triplicate.

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